MINUTES

HOUSE COMMERCE & HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

DATE: Monday, February 01, 2021

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW05

MEMBERS: Chairman Holtzclaw, Vice Chairman Syme, Representatives Harris, Kingsley, Christensen, Giddings, Wisniewski, Horman, Hanks, von Ehlinger, Weber, Chew (Colwell), Necochea, Toone

ABSENT/ None EXCUSED:

GUESTS: Jani Revier, Director, Idaho Department of Labor; Larry Ingram, Idaho Department of Labor; Josh Mckennna, Idaho Department of Labor

Chairman Holtzclaw called the meeting to order at 1:30 PM.

- MOTION: Rep. von Ehlinger made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 25, 2021 meeting. Motion carried by voice vote.
- **S 1004: Rep. Horman** presented the legislation stating its purpose would be to set up an account for the 27th payroll for the State in fiscal year 2022. Most years only have twenty-six payroll cycles but every eleven years there are twenty-seven. She explained the last time there was a twenty-seventh payroll cycle it caused some confusion and this legislation would prevent more confusion in the next fiscal year.
- MOTION: Rep. Weber made a motion to send S 1004 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation. Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Horman will sponsor on the floor.
- **RS 28130:** Jani Revier, Director, Idaho Department of Labor presented **RS 28130** to the Committee, explaining each of the changes this proposed legislation would make to the Administrative Rules for the Department of Labor. She further stated this legislation would not have any impact on the General Fund as it only changes the wording of certain rules but makes no monetary changes.

In response to Committee questions **Ms. Revier** further defined the term "custom farming" as stated in the RS.

- MOTION: Rep. Syme made a motion to introduce RS 28130. Motion carried by voice vote.
- **RS 28089: Ms. Revier** presented **RS 28089** to the Committee, stating it would amend Idaho Code to clarify and extend the deadline by which employees may transmit a protest of appeal for unemployment insurance benefits. She added this proposed legislation would have no impact to the General Fund as unemployment insurance is not paid from the General Fund.
- MOTION: Rep. Syme made a motion to introduce RS 28089. Motion carried by voice vote.
- ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:38 PM.

Representative Holtzclaw Chair

Emma Wall Secretary